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PATENT APPLICATION

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In re: Application of : Vladimir GUREVICH, et al.
Filed : June 24, 2003
For : BEAM SHAPING SYSTEM AND DIVERGING LASER
BEAM FOR SCANNING OPTICAL CODE

New York, New York
June 24, 2003

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Box: RCE
Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend this application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-28, without prejudice.